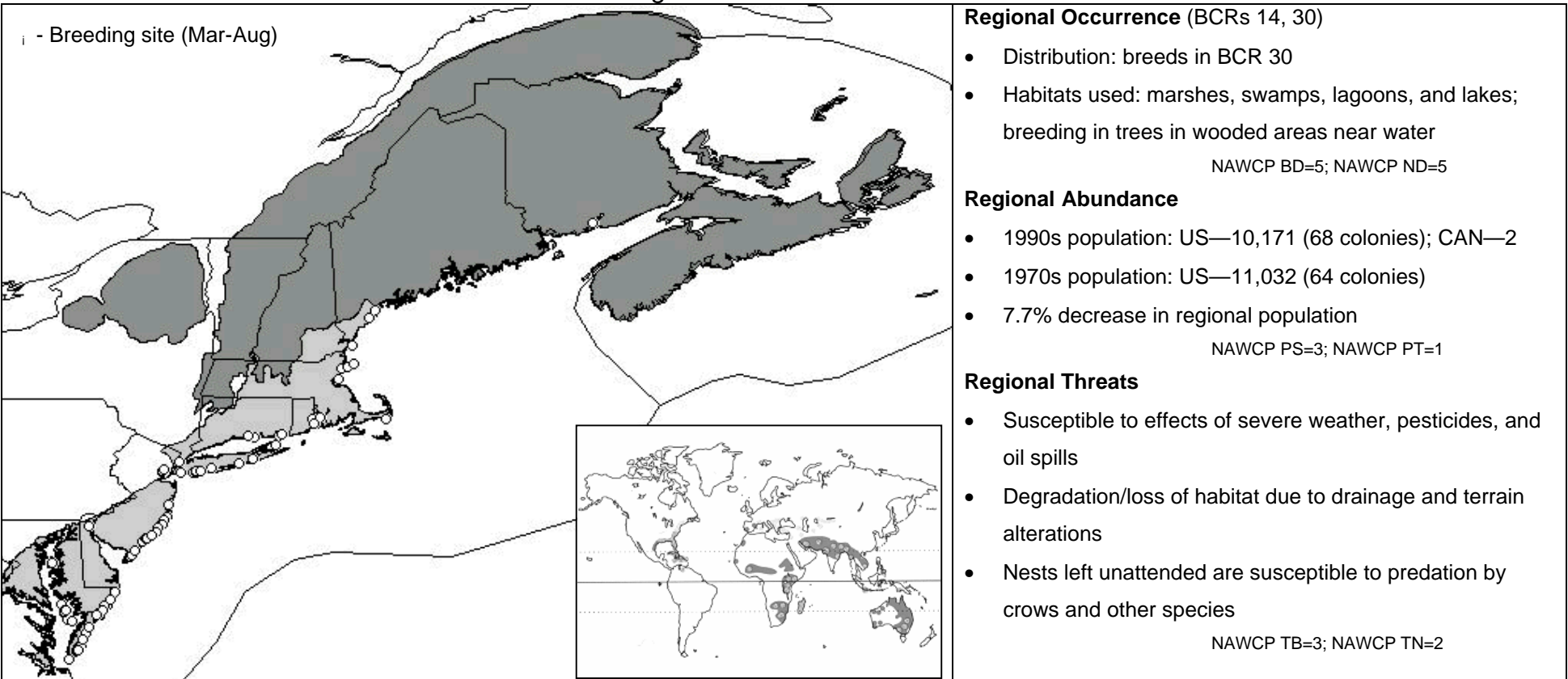


# GLOSSY IBIS

*Plegadis falcinellus falcinellus*



**Conservation Status:** Abundance (b=breeding, nb=nonbreeding, t=total individuals) and Conservation Rank

Global	North America	BCR 14	BCR 30	Mid-Atlantic	S. New England	Gulf of Maine	Maritimes
1,107,500 – 2,144,500t	13,000 – 15,000b	2b	10,171b	8,767b	1,070b	334b	2b
IUCN- Not Evaluated	NAWCP- Low Concern (PI=2-4%)	Low (PI<1%)	Moderate (PI=78%)	NJ- S3B, S4N; DE- S1B MD-S4B; VA-S2B, S1N	NY-S2;CT-S1B, SZN RI- S1B, SZN; MA-S1; VT-na	MA-S1; NH-SZN ME-S2B; NB, NS - no info	QC-SN; PEI- no info NB, NS- no info

**Conservation Needs:** *Sustainability:* 1.3 nestlings/nest; *Foraging Habitat:* Often nests far from feeding areas; tactile forager; generally prefers shallower water; sometimes in flooded, irrigated or dry fields, rice fields, shallow waters of lakes, lagoons, deltas, rivers, estuaries and sewage ponds.; *Issues:* Increased interest in wetlands preservation has benefited ibis populations. Maintenance and protection of these diverse habitats is considered key for ibis conservation.; *Needs:* monitor; *Population Goals:* restore (increase), 9,900-12,100b; *Habitat Goals:*